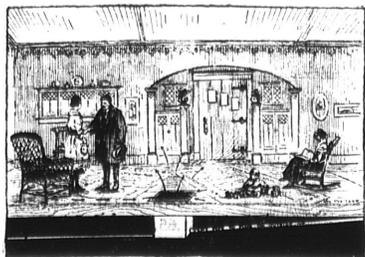


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The ordinary small house can easily be heated with one furnace and at very small cost. No basement is necessary, but all the installation is BELOW THE FLOOR, out of the way. The only visible part is the handsomely-finished register which is practically flush with the floor. It does not disturb the arrangement of furniture or rugs.

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APPROVAL by the American Gas Association's Testing Laboratory appears on all Clark Jewel Gas Ranges. This Blue Star Seal is the mark of dependability. Appliances bearing this mark are built correctly and will give the maximum of satisfaction.

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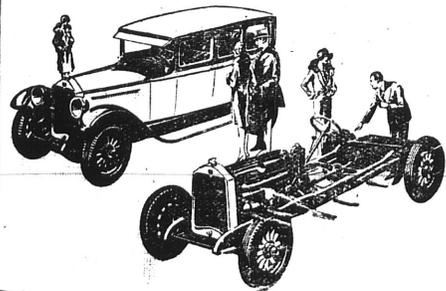
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### From "roof to basement" that's the way to buy a car

Buick welcomes this searching test

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Phone 65

### Christmas Seals Will Be Sent to 100,000 Houses

#### Biggest Health Campaign in Years Is on in Southland

Prepared for the most intensive campaign in the interest of health and disease prevention yet launched in Los Angeles county, an advance army of workers under direction of Miss Lucile Jones, executive secretary of the Los Angeles county public health association, are distributing this week thousands of sheets of Christmas seals which are to be mailed into 100,000 homes.

The returns for county territory this year will approximate \$50,000, Miss Jones anticipates, judging from the interest expressed by residents of this district, and the county at large, in the big constructive health program of the Tuberculosis Committee of the Association for the prevention of tuberculosis. This season's Christmas Seal sale will doubtless meet with heartier response than ever before.

Last year 23,239 individuals in county territory responded to the Seal sale; 25% contributed more than \$2 per person to the sale, which, as also this year, was conducted entirely by mail.

Miss Jones stresses the important work confronting the association in keeping abreast of the steady increase in population of Los Angeles county, and at the same time the constant broadening of the preventative program to include the most effective and far reaching methods for the building up of the resistance of childhood and the ultimate complete conquest of tuberculosis.

It has been demonstrated that 75% of all deaths from tuberculosis is preventable. The definite program adopted by the tuberculosis committee is that of prevention through proper nutrition, health education and health habit training of children who may be contacts from homes where there is a case of tuberculosis, or those who are definitely under par and may readily become a victim of tuberculosis.



MISS ELSIE WIEBER  
New York's New Soprano

Spokane girl wins Atwater Kent State Audition in New York, qualifying for District Contest in national radio competition. Still in early twenties, young singer out of the Far West, has surmounted obstacles and forged steadily forward to goal as operatic star.

### Half of Prisoners in L. A. Jail Are Boys, Says Officer

"Nearly half of all prisoners booked in the Los Angeles county jail are less than twenty-five years of age. There is too much juvenile delinquency in the county," said Eugene W. Biscailuz, under-sheriff of Los Angeles county in a recent radio address.

Biscailuz, in initiating a drive to keep "our boy and girl out of jail" proposes that the mothers and fathers inaugurate a movement to be known as "Family Night at Home", one night a week.

The idea is simply that each family gather around its own fireplace, one night a week, as a regular occurrence. On this night, the members of the family are to meet on common ground for the purpose of pleasing one another and endeavoring to understand one another. It should be a night of festivity and fun; a joyous occasion which the children themselves will come to love and desire. Biscailuz stated that the idea has been practiced by one man in this county for over twenty-four years, and that the idea has enabled the father to exercise a wonderful influence upon his children throughout their lives.

Through the Bureau of Public Relations of the Sheriff's Department, a series of lectures are to be delivered, the coming weeks, over four radio stations, dealing with the problem of juvenile delinquency. Parents, educators and students are urged to listen in to K. M. T. R. each Saturday, 7:30 p. m.; K. N. R. C. each Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.; K. H. J. every other Wednesday, 9:00 p. m.; K. F. L. every other Friday, 5:30 p. m.

#### IN THE RECORDER'S COURT

Of the City of Torrance, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, Chas. T. Rippey, Recorder.

J. Isenstein, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Fred Kormes, Defendant.  
Case No. 302, Summons.

The people of the State of California send greetings to Fred Kormes, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Recorder's Court of the City of Torrance, Los Angeles County, State of California, and to answer before the Recorder at his office in the said City of Torrance, the complaint filed therein, within five

days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within the city in which this action is brought; or, if served out of said city, but within said County, within ten days, or within twenty days if served elsewhere. And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer said complaint, as above required, said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered and take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for relief demanded in the complaint, together with the costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of March, 1927.

Chas. T. Rippey,  
Recorder, City of Torrance, Los Angeles County, State of California.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKS

Public notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Torrance did at a regular meeting of said council, held on the 6th day of September, 1927, pass a Resolution of Intention No. 338 to order the following work to be done and improvement to be made, within said city, to-wit: the closing up, vacating and abandoning of that portion of a street described as follows:

That portion of Lot S-3, Torrance Tract, as recorded in Map Book 22, Pages 94 and 95, Los Angeles County Records, described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the Easterly line of said Lot S-3, said point being North 0°, 34', 10" West 802.02 feet from the

Northerly line of Carson street; thence North 0°, 34' 10" West on a prolongation of the Westerly line of Block 110, Torrance Tract, to a point in the Westerly line of said Lot S-3; thence Northeasterly, Easterly and Southwesterly along the Westerly, Northerly and Easterly lines of said Lot S-3, to point of beginning.

And said City Council has declared that the district of lands to be affected and benefited by the work and improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, is the following described property: all of Block 110, of Torrance Tract, above mentioned.

All of the herein proposed work shall be done in pursuance of an

Act of the legislature of the State of California approved March 6, 1889, being entitled "An Act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part, any street, square, lane, alley, court or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," and under all acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

For a more particular description of said improvement, reference is hereby made to said Resolution of Intention No. 338, on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

Dated September 8, 1927.

WM. GASCOIGNE,  
Street Superintendent.

**XTRA -** December, 1927

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The Book

Group	Weekly Deposits	Total you will have
Group 1	\$ 0.25 for 50 weeks	\$ 12.50
Group 2	0.50 " 50 "	25.00
Group 3	1.00 " 50 "	50.00
Group 4	2.00 " 50 "	100.00
Group 5	5.00 " 50 "	250.00
Group 6	10.00 " 50 "	500.00
Group 7	20.00 " 50 "	1000.00
Group 0	for any amount you wish to deposit.	

The Plan

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